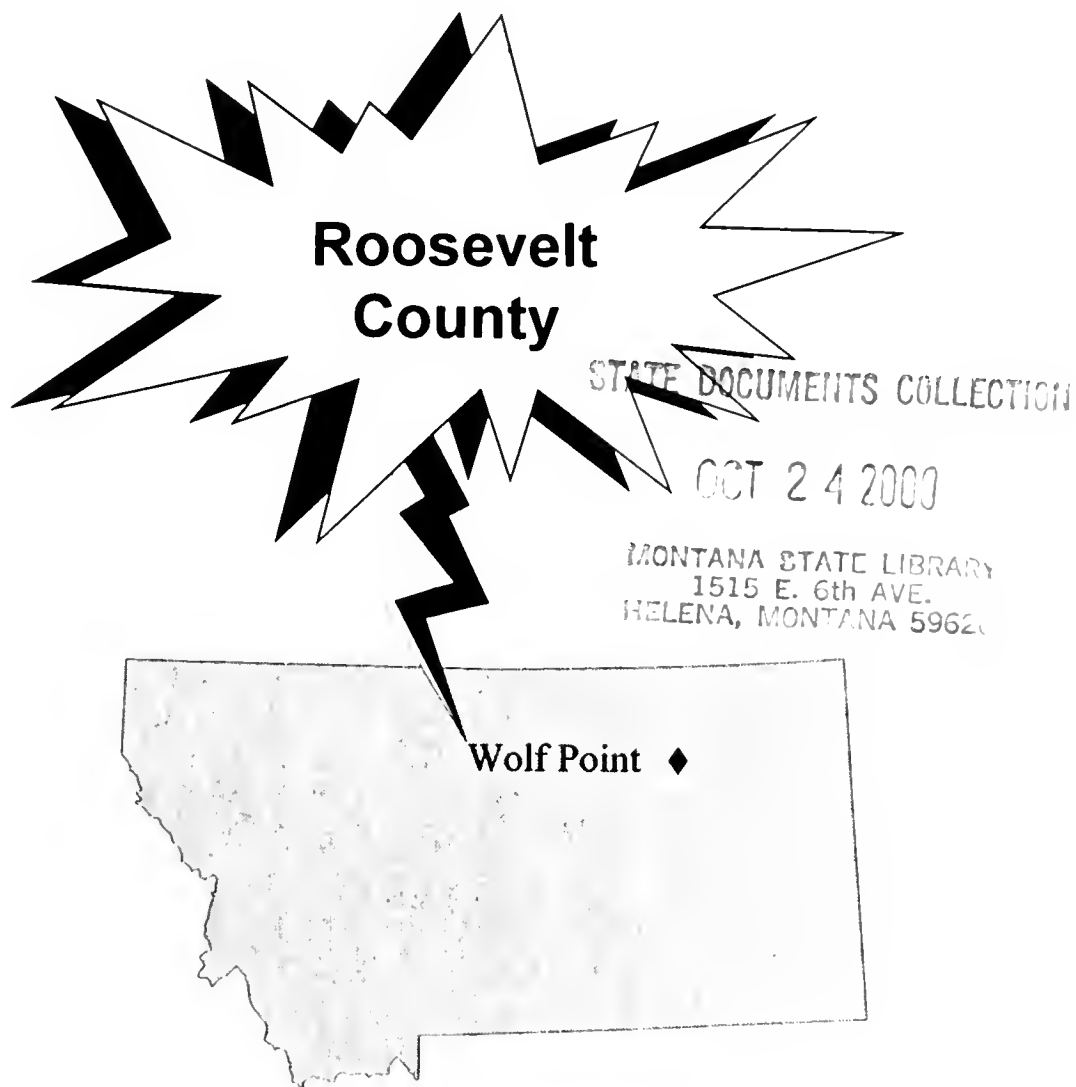


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## Cities and Towns in Roosevelt County

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The most current county-by-county information can be found in our quarterly publication *Employment and Labor Force Trends*. And most of our information is on the Internet at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/lmi/lmi.htm>. In addition, we'll do our best to provide information in accessible format, on request, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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# Roosevelt County

Located in northeastern Montana, Roosevelt County is Montana's 17th most populous with 10,999 residents, according to the 1990 Census.

Wolf Point, the county seat, is the state's 26th largest city with a population of 2,880. Roosevelt County is home to the Fort Peck Indian Reservation. According to the *Montana Almanac*, by authors Andrea Merrill and Judy Jacobson, the county was established in 1919 and named for U.S. President Theodore Roosevelt.

According to the U.S. Bureau of the Census, median income for Roosevelt County households in 1989 was \$19,445. The county is 2,369.7 square miles in area; 2,355.7 square miles in land area and 14 in inland water area.

County residents experience the four distinct seasons. Average monthly temperatures range from a maximum of 23.7 degrees above in January to a max of 71.7 degrees above in July. According to the *Montana Almanac*, the annual precipitation in 1995 was 12.29 inches and the length of the growing season 103 days. And the *Montana Almanac* shows the community of Culbertson is one of the coldest places in Montana with an average daily low of minus 2.0 degrees.

## Roosevelt County Population

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

Area	7/1/97 Estimate	7/1/96 Estimate	4/1/90 Census	% Change '90 to '97	% Change '90 to '96
Montana	878,810	876,684	799,065	10.0%	9.7%
Roosevelt County	11,121	11,046	10,999	1.1%	0.4%
Bainville	Not Available	166	165	Not Available	0.6%
Brockton	Not Available	363	365	Not Available	-0.5%
Culbertson	Not Available	819	796	Not Available	2.9%
Froid	Not Available	193	195	Not Available	-1.0%
Poplar	Not Available	920	881	Not Available	4.4%
Wolf Point	Not Available	2,874	2,880	Not Available	-0.2%

<b>1997 New Businesses by Industry</b> <b>Roosevelt County</b>		
<b>SIC Code*</b>	<b>Industry</b>	<b># Of New Busi- nesses</b>
15	General Building Contractors	2
17	Special Trade Contractors	2
42	Trucking-Warehousing	2
54	Food Stores	2
83	Social Services	2
86	Membership Organizations	2
87	Engineering Services	2
99	Not Yet Classified	2
1	Agricultural Production-Crops	1
7	Agricultural Services	1
13	Oil & Gas Extraction	1
73	Business Services	1
75	Auto-Repair Services	1
81	Legal Services	1
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis.

\*SIC Code: Standard Industrial Classification Code.

New businesses registered with the Unemployment Insurance Program.

Does not include businesses which had a change in ownership.

<b>Top 10 Private Employers In Roosevelt County</b> <i><b>Listed In Alphabetical Order</b></i>		
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Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis. First Quarter 1998 Unemployment Insurance Information. This list includes ONLY private industry employers subject to Unemployment Insurance. Railroads and city, county, state and federal government agencies (including public school districts and universities) are excluded.		

## Resources

### ⇒ Chambers of Commerce:

Culbertson Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, P. O. Box 639, Culbertson, MT 59218, 406-787-5821

Poplar Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, P. O. Box 313, Poplar, MT 59255, 406-768-3336

Wolf Point Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, 218 Third Ave. S., #B, Wolf Point, MT 59201, 406-653-2012

### ⇒ Department of Labor and Industry:

*Northeast Montana Job Service*

217 3rd Ave. S., Wolf Point, MT 59201, 406-653-1720

### *Montana Department of Labor & Industry's Office of Research & Analysis Publications*

For information on employment by industry, new businesses, labor market information, profile of the Montana worker, job projections to the year 2006 and hourly pay by occupation, contact the office at any of the numbers listed on the front of this publication or check out our Internet website at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/lmi/lmi.htm>.

### ⇒ Housing Costs:

Check the Yellow Pages in the local phone directory for the *Real Estate* listings.

### ⇒ Internet:

Montana Job Service home page for job listings at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/>

Use the Search Utilities on the Internet to find home pages for Montana cities.

### ⇒ Montana Motor Vehicle Division:

*Drivers' Licensing*

Culbertson—City Hall, 406-787-5271

Wolf Point—Courthouse, 406-653-1590 (extension 284)

### ⇒ Newspapers:

*Culbertson Searchlight*, P. O. Box 496, Culbertson, MT 59218, 406-787-5821

*The Herald-News*, P. O. Box 639, Wolf Point, MT 59201, 406-653-2222

### ⇒ Public Libraries:

Roosevelt County Library, 220 Second Ave. S., Wolf Point, MT 59201-1599, 406-653-2411

Bainville Branch Library, 409 Tubman, Bainville, MT 59212-0073

Culbertson Branch Library, 202 Broadway Ave., Culbertson, MT 59218-0031

Froid Branch Library, 110 Main, Froid, MT 59226-0334

Poplar Branch Library, 208 Third Ave. W., Poplar, MT 59255-0515

### ⇒ Postsecondary Education Institutions:

*Tribally Controlled Community Colleges*

Fort Peck Community College, P. O. Box 398, Poplar, MT 59255, 406-768-5551

### ⇒ Superintendent of Schools, Kindergarten through 12th Grade:

Bainville Schools, Box 177, Bainville, MT 59212, 406-769-2321

Brockton Public Schools, P. O. Box 198, Brockton, MT 59213, 406-786-3311

Culbertson Public Schools, Box 516, Culbertson, MT 59218, 406-787-6246

Froid Public Schools, Box 218, Froid, MT 59226, 406-766-2343

Frontier Elementary, P. O. Box 3043, Wolf Point, MT 59201, 406-653-2501

Poplar Public Schools, Box 458, Poplar, MT 59255, 406-768-3637

Wolf Point Public Schools, 220 Fourth Ave. S., Wolf Point, MT 59201, 406-653-2361

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## Roosevelt County Employment By Industry\* Annual Averages 1997

Industry	# of Establishments	Average Annual Employment	Annual Wages Paid
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	287	3,261	\$61,220,562
PRIVATE BUSINESS	242	2,249	\$36,551,612
AGRI, FORESTRY, FISHING	8	44	\$915,597
Agriculture Services	5	22	\$541,126
MINING	10	23	\$643,995
Oil & Gas Extraction	10	23	\$643,995
CONSTRUCTION	18	26	\$438,280
General Building	5	10	\$176,159
Special Trade	12	15	\$260,121
MANUFACTURING	10	101	\$1,620,611
Apparel	3	76	\$1,186,340
Printing-Publishing	3	14	\$143,930
TRANS., COMMUN., UTILITIES	13	72	\$1,946,993
Trucking-Warehousing	5	9	\$201,666
Air Transportation	3	32	\$812,275
Elec., Gas, Sanitation	3	21	\$795,424
WHOLESALE TRADE	19	78	\$1,698,776
Durable Goods	4	27	\$511,020
Nondurable	15	51	\$1,187,756
RETAIL TRADE	78	543	\$6,227,598
Bldg Materials-Garden	5	44	\$597,023
Food Stores	15	139	\$1,443,991
Auto Dealers-Service Stations	14	126	\$2,228,762
Apparel & Accessories	3	10	\$92,978
Eating & Drinking	26	164	\$1,202,165
Miscellaneous Retail	10	31	\$448,938
FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE	16	143	\$3,048,989
Banking	6	65	\$1,338,260
Insurance Agents	7	15	\$249,108
SERVICES	67	1,216	\$19,795,973
Hotels & Lodging	6	67	\$546,136
Personal Services	4	14	\$124,745
Business Services	6	27	\$189,690
Motion Pictures	5	29	\$141,760
Amusement & Recreation	4	44	\$420,330
Health Services	10	366	\$7,314,490
Legal Services	4	5	\$77,550
Social Services	7	28	\$207,071
Engineering Organizations	7	11	\$228,472
GOVERNMENT	44	1,012	\$24,868,750
State	8	66	\$1,883,745
Local	19	721	\$15,266,076
Federal	17	224	\$7,698,929

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis

\*Employment Covered by Unemployment Insurance

Totals may not add due to rounding

## Per Capita Personal Income

	1970	1980	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Montana	\$3,558	\$8,842	\$15,067	\$16,005	\$16,618	\$17,709	\$17,709	\$18,602	\$19,278
% of National Average	87%	88%	79%	81%	81%	83%	80%	80%	79%
Roosevelt County	\$3,263	\$7,013	\$10,505	\$11,612	\$13,037	\$14,213	\$13,279	\$13,578	\$14,380
% of National Average	80%	70%	55%	59%	63%	67%	60%	58%	59%

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information System Released May 1998

**PLEASE NOTE:** Because of time and budget constraints, we are only able to update our county flyers periodically. Individual tables are updated on a more frequent basis. You can call us if you'd like the most current information for a particular county. The Annual Averages for County Employment By Industry are updated annually, usually in June. The Top Employers are updated annually. Per Capita Income statewide is usually released late spring and county data around August each year. Population data for Montana is usually released in March and county data may be released at a different time. The Annual Average Labor Force information is benchmarked annually and numbers available before March. The other tables contain Census information and will be updated every 10 years. You can also look for more current information on our website listed on the front of this publication.

## Annual Average Labor Force For Roosevelt County

Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
1970	3,660	3,447	213	5.8%
1971	3,620	3,404	216	6.0%
1972	3,813	3,639	174	4.6%
1973	3,951	3,695	256	6.5%
1974	4,136	3,920	216	5.2%
1975	4,538	4,295	243	5.4%
1976	5,026	4,781	245	4.9%
1977	4,837	4,546	291	6.0%
1978	5,115	4,836	279	5.5%
1979	5,356	5,106	250	4.7%
1980	5,101	4,831	270	5.3%
1981	5,452	5,134	318	5.8%
1982	5,886	5,448	438	7.4%
1983	5,913	5,384	529	8.9%
1984	5,495	5,112	383	7.0%
1985	5,645	5,207	438	7.8%
1986	5,716	5,170	546	9.6%
1987	5,644	5,157	487	8.6%
1988	5,587	5,189	398	7.1%
1989	5,234	4,818	416	7.9%
1990	4,505	4,017	488	10.8%
1991	4,458	3,962	496	11.1%
1992	4,452	3,905	547	12.3%
1993	4,320	3,927	393	9.1%
1994	4,488	4,076	412	9.2%
1995	4,114	3,680	434	10.5%
1996	4,044	3,638	406	10.0%
1997	4,009	3,649	360	9.0%

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis (1998 Benchmark)

## Summary of Major Occupational Categories By Sex 1990 Census-Equal Employment Opportunity Data Civilian Labor Force-All Persons

Occupation	Total	Male	Female
<b>Total</b>	4,505	2,447	2,058
<b>Managerial and Professional Specialty Occupations</b>	845	378	467
Executive, Administrative and Managerial Occupations	299	144	155
Professional Specialty Occupations	546	234	312
<b>Technical, Sales and Administrative Support Occupations</b>	1,032	366	666
Technicians and Related Support Occupations	93	51	42
Sales Occupations	283	152	131
Administrative Support Occupations, Including Clerical	656	163	493
<b>Service Occupations</b>	819	279	540
Private Household Occupations	18	0	18
Protective Service Occupations	125	124	1
Service Occupations, Except Protective and Household	676	155	521
<b>Farming, Forestry, Fishing</b>	519	441	78
<b>Precision Production, Craft and Repair Occupations</b>	500	431	69
Mechanics and Repairers	161	151	10
Construction Trade	162	160	2
Extractive Occupations	31	28	3
Precision Production Occupations	146	92	54
<b>Operators, Fabricators and Laborers</b>	702	507	195
Machine Operators, Assemblers and Inspectors	300	172	128
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	193	158	35
Handlers, Equipment Cleaners, Helpers and Laborers	209	177	32
<b>Unemployed, No Recent Civilian Work Experience</b>	86	45	43

Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT 59620, 406-444-2895

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First Quarter 1998 Unemployment Insurance Information.

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**Roosevelt County**  
**1990 Census of Population and Housing**  
**Persons by Age, Race and Sex**

<i>School Age</i>	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
							Islander					
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
5-11	645	341	5	2	902	459	6	2	21	13	0	0
12-14	267	138	1	0	294	162	1	1	12	8	3	2
15-17	264	125	0	0	295	158	0	0	4	4	1	1
18-21	145	70	1	1	362	166	0	0	6	1	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1,853</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>

<i>Working &amp; Voting Age</i>	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
							Islander					
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
16+	4,214	2,184	7	4	3,240	1,667	23	11	47	25	10	6
16-64	3,239	1,629	7	4	3,015	1,539	18	9	45	24	10	6
18+	4,037	2,098	7	4	3,047	1,554	23	11	44	22	9	5
18-64	3,062	1,543	7	4	2,822	1,426	18	9	42	21	9	5

<i>Other Age Group</i>	White		Black		American Indian		Eskimo/Aleut/ Asian or Pacific		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
							Islander					
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
0-4	356	155	4	3	817	393	10	8	22	10	5	3
5-17	1,176	604	6	2	1,491	779	7	3	37	25	4	3
18-44	1,939	981	7	4	2,185	1,082	17	9	33	17	7	5
45-64	1,123	562	0	0	637	344	1	0	9	4	2	0
62+	1,136	638	0	0	276	154	6	2	2	1	0	0
65+	975	555	0	0	225	128	5	2	2	1	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,569</b>	<b>2,857</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5,355</b>	<b>2,728</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>

Source: Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT 59620, 406-444-2896.

**Roosevelt County**

County of Residence	# Who Work in Roosevelt County	County of Work	# Who Live in Roosevelt County
Out of State	38	Out of State	49
Daniels County	16	Daniels County	12
McCone County	94	McCone County	15
Richland County	75	Richland County	30
Roosevelt County	3,666	Roosevelt County	3,666
Sheridan County	36	Sheridan County	26
Valley County	107	Valley County	10
Other Montana Counties	24	Yellowstone County	10
		Other Montana Counties	10

Source: 1990 Census Data provided by the U S Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics